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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application, the response date to which has been extended by the enclosed petition to September 20, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application and reconsider the rejection thereof in accordance with the following amendment and remarks: